

Child Day Care Certification Standards and Checklist

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(2)(cm) | Fire arms and ammunition materials are locked, stored separately from each other, and are inaccessible to children. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(2)(d) | *Indoor and outdoor areas used for child care include sufficient space for play and for activities that meet the developmental needs of the children in care. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(2)(e) | Outdoor play areas are free of hazards. My yard is fenced: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
If "no", I will take the following measures to ensure the safety of the children: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(2)(e)1 | I do not have concrete and asphalt under climbing equipment, swings and slides. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(2)(e)2 | I will not use in-ground pools, on-ground pools with rigid sides, hot tubs, and large outdoor trampolines during hours of care. These items are inaccessible to children by use of a permanent barrier or other preventive measure. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(2)(e)3 | If I use wading pools, I will change the water and disinfect the pool daily. "Wading pool" means a shallow pool, capable of being dumped to change water and used primarily for small children. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(2)(f) | *Pets that are kept in my home are tolerant of children and vaccinated against rabies. I have the following pets:
Dates rabies expire: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(2)(g) | *I have at least one telephone in working order with a list of emergency numbers posted by each telephone, including numbers for the rescue squad, police, fire station, emergency medical care and poison control center. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(2)(i) | *The home is kept clean, uncluttered and free of insects and rodents. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(2)(j) | *Bathrooms, including toilets, sinks and potty chairs, are clean and in good working condition. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(2)(k) | *My water is safe because:
<input type="checkbox"/> It comes from a public water system
<input type="checkbox"/> It was tested by a certified laboratory for bacteriology safety and tested to have safe nitrate level. Date next test required: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(2)(l) | Areas, equipment and utensils for food preparation, serving and clean up are kept clean and sanitary. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(2)(m) | *Children will not share cups, eating utensils, washcloths or towels. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(2)(n) | Smoking is prohibited on the premises (indoor and outdoor) when children are present. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(2)(o) | I rent the property where the care is given. If yes, name and phone of landlord: |

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A | 55.08(4) | <p>I will have a current report of health exam on file for all children, including my own, under the age of 5, or who are not enrolled in a public or private school prior to or within 90 days after the child is admitted. Exams are required every six (6) months after admission for children under age two (2) and within the past two years for children age 2 and older. The report is signed by a health care professional.</p> <p>Note: Children participating in Health Check or other screening programs approved by the Department meets these requirements.</p> |
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